October 11, 2016

Dear Students and Parents,

After planning our schedule from October 11th through October 28th, I have revised our plan to re-learn old content, retake tests, and make revisions to grades in the grade book.

1. We will conduct an extensive review of content learned while I was absent. This review will be conducted over the course of four class days, and on the fifth day (October 21st), students will take their Unit 2 Test. As such, the Unit 2 Test will not be given on its originally scheduled date of October 11th.
2. I will provide additional resources to help students better understand old content. These additional resources may include detailed lists of important skills from each notes packet, answer keys, and videos created by me. These resources will be located under the appropriate unit heading (Unit 1 or Unit 2) on my Wiki page. The Wiki page URL is given below with the login information needed to access content on the page.

URL: <http://msottolinibiology.wikispaces.com/Pre-AP+Biology+2016-2017>

Login Information: Username: krousebiostudent / Password: bioislife

1. I will be available after school until 3:15 to answer questions for pre-AP biology students on Thursday, October 13th and Thursday, October 20th.
2. Students will have the opportunity to retake the Unit 1 Test after school until 3:15 any day during the week of October 24th-October 28th.

The retake test will contain different multiple choice questions from the original test, but it will assess the same content. The retake test will replace lower scores from the original test. It will also replace lower scores from the corresponding Daily Biology Assessments (also known as DBAs or daily quizzes).

Thank you again for your trust, patience, and understanding.

Best Wishes,

Mrs. Krouse